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The Office Communication with a mailing date of July 25, 2007 contained an Examiner's Amendment arising from a telephone interview that the examiner (Cheyne D. Ly) conducted with the applicant (David R. Rigney) on June 29, 2007. Applicant understands that he should confirm in writing the substance of the interview, which was summarized by the examiner in the Office Communication. Accordingly, applicant's formal summary of that interview is as follows.

- 1. The date of the interview was July 29, 2007. The interview was conducted by telephone. The only participants were the examiner (Cheyne D. Ly) and the applicant (David R. Rigney).
- 2. The only matters bearing on the question of patentability that were discussed during the interview were matters pertaining to Claim 1. No exhibits were shown or demonstrated. No identification of prior art was discussed.
- 3. At the beginning of the interview, the examiner indicated to the applicant that the Office would consider Claim 1 to be allowable, if certain amendments were made to Claim 1, as then currently amended. The examiner then proceeded to read proposed amendments line by line. Those proposed amendments are the same as the ones appearing in the Examiner's Amendment that accompanied the Office Communication with a mailing date of July 25, 2007, except that amendment 15 in the Examiner's Amendment appears to contain the

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- following typographical error. Amendment 15 contains the phrase "arranged I the descending order" but apparently should instead contain the phrase "arranged in the descending order.".
- 4. During the interview, after each of the proposed amendments was read by the examiner to the applicant, the applicant agreed that the examiner would be authorized to make the proposed amendment. Applicant did not propose to the examiner any alternative amendments.
- 5. The outcome of the interview was an understanding that the application would be allowed after the proposed amendments were made to Claim 1.

Respectfully submitted,

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